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C O N F I D E N T I A L CAPE TOWN 0436

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, UN, SF, WA

SUBJECT: JOINT APPROACH ON NAMIBIA

REF: CAPE TOWN 422, STATE 86350

1. FRENCH AMBASSADOR AT NOON TODAY STILL HAD NO INSTRUCTIONS FROM PARIS, PROBABLY BECAUSE OF APRIL 13 CABLE BREAK WHICH WAS REPAIRED ONLY YESTERDAY. FRENCH ACTIVATED ALTERNATE RADIO CIRCUIT THIS MORNING BUT HAD NOTHING RELEVANT ON IT.

2. PRIME MINISTER VORSTER IS EXPECTED MAKE MAJOR POLICY STATEMENT TOMORROW OR NEXT DAY IN PARLIAMENTARY DEBATE OF BUDGET FOR HIS OFFICE, AND THERE IS POSSIBILITY HE MAY SCOOP JOINT DEMARCHE BY INCLUDING SOMETHING ON NAMIBIA WHICH HE MIGHT REGARD AS MEETING POINTS RAISED IN JOINT AIDE-MEMOIRE. IF HE DOES MAKE SIGNIFICANT MENTION OF NAMIBIA, IT MAY BE TACTICALLY DESIRABLE TO STUDY HIS REMARKS BEFORE PROCEEDING WITH APPROACH SO THAT WE CAN GIVE INDICATION THAT HIS STATEMENT HAS BEEN TAKEN INTO ACCOUNT. (IT NOW APPEARS UNLIKELY THAT WE WILL BE ABLE SEE FONMIN BEFORE VORSTER'S STATEMENT.)

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